District II

1301 W. Grand Ave., Artesia, NM 88210

District III

1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

District IV

Department Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr.

Santa Fe, NM 87505

For temporary pits, closed-loop sytems, and below-grade tanks, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

For permanent pits and exceptions submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505	
-	Pit, Closed-Loop System, Below-Grade Tank, or
Propo	osed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application
Type of action:	X Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Closure of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
	Modification to an existing permit
	Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
Instructions: Please submit one ap	oplication (Form C-144) per individual pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank or alternative request

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

Operator: ConocoPhillips Company OGRID#: 217817
Address: PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499
Facility or well name: Lindrith B Unit 78
API Number: 30-039-25066 OCD Permit Number:
U/L or Qtr/Qtr: L(NW/SW) Section: 6 Township: 24N Range: 2W County: Rio Arriba
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude: 36.337978 °N Longitude: 2 -107.09821 °W NAD: 1927 X 1983
Surface Owner: Federal State Private Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment
Pit: Subsection F or G of 19.15.17.11 NMAC Temporary: Drilling Workover Permanent Emergency Cavitation P&A JAN 3 0 2013
Lined Unlined Liner type: Thickness mil LLDPE HDPE PVC Other String-Reinforced
Liner Seams: Welded Factory Other Volume: bbl Dimensions L x W x D
X Closed-loop System: Subsection H of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Drying Pad X Above Ground Steel Tanks Haul-off Bins Other Lined Unlined Liner type: Thickness mil LLDPE HDPE PVD Other Liner Seams: Welded Factory Other
Below-grade tank: Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC Volume: bbl Type of fluid:
Tank Construction material:
Secondary containment with leak detection Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off Visible sidewalls and liner Visible sidewalls only Other Liner Type: Thickness mil HDPE PVC Other
5 Alternative Method: Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.



Fencing: Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pit, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks) Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church) Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet Alternate. Please specify					
Netting: Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks) Screen Netting Other Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)					
Signs: Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC 12" X 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers X Signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC					
Administrative Approvals and Exceptions: Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance. Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank: Administrative approval(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district of the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for cons (Fencing/BGT Liner) Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.	ideration of approval.				
Siting Criteria (regarding permitting): 19.15.17.10 NMAC Instructions: The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau Office for consideration of approval. Applicant must attach justification for request. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above grade-tanks associated with a closed-loop system.					
Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the temporary pit, permanent pit, or below-grade tank. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	Yes No				
Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	Yes No				
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.	Yes No				
(Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks) - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	NA				
Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. (Applied to permanent pits) - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	Yes No				
Within 500 horizonal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of initial application.	Yes No				
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site. Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance	Yes No				
adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality. Written approval obtained from the municipality					
Within 500 feet of a wetland. - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	Yes No				
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD - Mining and Mineral Division	Yes No				
 Within an unstable area. Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map 	Yes No				
Within a 100-year floodplain - FEMA map	Yes No				

Temporary Pits, Emergency Pits and Below-grade Tanks Permit Application Attachment Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC					
Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.					
Hydrogeologic Report (Below-grade Tanks) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC					
Hydrogeologic Data (Temporary and Emergency Pits) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (2) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9					
Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC					
Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC					
Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC					
Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of					
19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API or Permit					
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Closed-loop Systems Permit Application Attachment Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC					
Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached. Geologic and Hydrogeologic Data (only for on-site closure) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (3) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9					
Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations (only for on-site closure) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC					
X Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC					
X Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC					
X Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API					
Previously Approved Operating and Maintenance Plan API					
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Permanent Pits Permit Application Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC					
Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.					
Hydrogeologic Report - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (I) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC					
Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC					
Climatological Factors Assessment					
Certified Engineering Design Plans - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC					
Dike Protection and Structural Integrity Design: based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC					
Leak Detection Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC					
Liner Specifications and Compatibility Assessment - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC					
Quality Control/Quality Assurance Construction and Installation Plan					
Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC					
Freeboard and Overtopping Prevention Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC Nuisance or Hazardous Odors, including H2S, Prevention Plan					
Emergency Response Plan					
Oil Field Waste Stream Characterization					
Monitoring and Inspection Plan					
Erosion Control Plan					
Closure Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Proposed Closure: 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Instructions: Please complete the applicable boxes, Boxes 14 through 18, in regards to the proposed closure plan.					
Type: Drilling X Workover Emergency Cavitation P&A Permanent Pit Below-grade Tank X Closed-loop System					
Alternative					
Proposed Closure Method: Waste Excavation and Removal					
X Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)					
On-site Closure Method (only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)					
In-place Burial On-site Trench					
Alternative Closure Method (Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau for consideration)					
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Waste Excavation and Removal Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan.					
Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.					
Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings)					
Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection 1 of 19.15.17.13 NMAC					
Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC					

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16 Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: (19.15.17.13.D NMAC)							
Instructions: Please identify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, drilling for facilities are required.	unds and drill cultings. Ose attachment if more than two						
Disposal Facility Name: Envirotech / JFJ Landfarm % IEI E	010B						
	Pisposal Facility Permit #: NM-01-005						
Will any of the proposed closed-loop system operations and associated activities Yes (If yes, please provide the information No	occur on or in areas that will not be used for future	service and					
Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations: Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specification - based upon the appropriate	g requirements of Subsection H of 19 15 17 13 NMA	ıc.					
Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsecti	·						
Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subs	ection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						
17							
Siting Criteria (Regarding on-site closure methods only: 19.15.17.10 NMAC							
Instructions: Each siting criteria requires a demonstration of compliance in the closure plan. Is certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office office for consideration of approval. Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are re-	or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to						
Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.		Yes No					
 NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS: Data obtain 	ned from nearby wells	. ∐N/A					
Ground water is between 50 and 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste	·	Yes No					
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtain	ed from nearby wells	□N/A					
Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.		Yes No					
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtain	ed from nearby wells	□N/A					
Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significar (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).	nt watercourse or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake	Yes No					
- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site							
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in exi - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; satellite image	stence at the time of initial application.	∐Yes ∐No					
Visual Impeditor (continuation) of the proposed site, Aerial proto, smaller image		☐Yes ☐No					
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than purposes, or within 1000 horizontal fee of any other fresh water well or spring, in existen - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certificat	ce at the time of the initial application.						
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended.	Yes No .						
 Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtain Within 500 feet of a wetland 	ed from the municipality	∏Yes ∏No					
- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspec	tion (certification) of the proposed site						
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine.		Yes No					
 Written confirantion or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Min Within an unstable area. 	eral Division	∏Yes ∏No					
- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mine	eral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society;						
Topographic map							
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map		YesNo					
18							
On-Site Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) Instructions: Each of by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.	f the following items must bee attached to the closu	re plan. Please indicate,					
Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate	requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC						
Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC							
Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC							
Construction/Design Plan of Temporary Pit (for in place burial of a drying		19.15.17.11 NMAC					
Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC							
Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC							
Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)							
Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC							
Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC							
Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC							

19 Operator Application Certs	ification:			
	tion submitted with this application is true, acc	urate and complete to the bes	et of my knowledge and belief.	
Name (Print):	DENISE JOURNEY	Title:	Regulatory Technelian	
Signature:	enist Journey	Date:	1/29/2013	
e-mail address:	Denise.Journey@conocophillips.com	Telephone:	(505) 326-9556	
OCD Representative Signa	it Application (including closure plan) ture:	Closure Plan (only) OCD Permi	OCD Conditions (see attachment) Approval Date: 2/11/201	3
Instructions: Operators are req report is required to be submitted		to implementing any closur ion of the closure activities, completed.	e activities and submitting the closure report. The c Please do not complete this section of the form unti Completion Date:	
Closure Method: Waste Excavation and F	_	Alternative Closure M	ethod Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems	only)
Instructions: Please identify the	aste Removal Closure For Closed-loop System of acility or facilities for where the liquids, dri		and Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: s were disposed. Use attachment if more than two	facilities
were utilized. Disposal Facility Name:		Disposal Facility P	ermit Number;	
Disposal Facility Name:		Disposal Facility P		
	operations and associated activities performed		e used for future service and opeartions?	
	onstrate complilane to the items below)	∐No		
Site Reclamation (Photo	which will not be used for future service and a Documentation)	operations:		
Soil Backfilling and Cov	ver Installation			
Re-vegetation Application	on Rates and Seeding Technique			
. the box, that the documents Proof of Closure Notice Proof of Deed Notice Plot Plan (for on-site of Confirmation Sampling Waste Material Samp Disposal Facility Nam Soil Backfilling and C	ce (surface owner and division) (required for on-site closure) closures and temporary pits) ng Analytical Results (if applicable) ling Analytical Results (if applicable) ne and Permit Number Cover Installation ation Rates and Seeding Technique toto Documentation)	llowing items must be attack	ned to the closure report. Please indicate, by a chec	ck mark in
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Operator Closure Certifica I hereby certify that the informa			d complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, sure plan.	I also certify that
Name (Print):		Title:		
Signature:		Date:		
e-mail address:		Telephone:		

ConocoPhillips Company Closed-loop Plans

Closed-loop Design Plan

COPC's closed loop system will not entail a drying pad, temporary pit, below grade tank or sump. It will include an above ground tank suitable for holding the cuttings and fluids for rig operations. The tank will be sufficient volume to maintain a safe free board between disposal of the liquids and solids from rig operations.

- 1. Fencing is not required for an above ground closed-loop system
- 2. It will be signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC
- 3. A frac tank will be on location to store fresh water

Closed-loop Operating and Maintenance Plan

COPC's closed-loop tank will be operated and maintained to contain liquids and solids in order to prevent contamination of fresh water sources, in order to protect public health and the environment. To ensure the operation is maintained the following steps will be followed:

- 1. The liquids will be vacuumed out and disposed of at the Basin Disposal facility (Permit # NM-01-005) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B). Solids in the closed-loop tank will be vacuumed out and disposed of at Envirotech (Permit # NM-01-0011) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) on a periodic basis to prevent over topping.
- 2. No hazardous waste, miscellaneous solid waste or debris will be discharged into or stored in the tank. Only fluids or cutting used or generated by rig operations will be placed or stored in the tank.
- 3. The division district office will be notified within 48 hours of the discovery of compromised integrity of the closed-loop tank. Upon the discovery of the compromised tank, repairs will be enacted immediately

Closed-loop Closure Plan

The closed-loop tank will be closed in accordance with 19.15.17.13. This will be done by transporting cuttings and all remaining sludges to Envirotech (Permit # NM-01-0011) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) immediately following rig operations. All remaining liquids will be transported and disposed of in the Basin Disposal facility (Permit # NM-01-005) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B). The tanks will be removed from the location as part of the rig move. At time of well abandonment, the site will be reclaimed and re-vegetated to pre-existing conditions when possible.